

Lachish Ostraca Script (6th Century B.C.E.) 2

Script	Hebrew	West-Syriac	East-Syriac	Value		
א א	א אֵלֶּךָ	ܐ ܐܠܐ	ܐ ܐܠܝܬܐ	ܐ	1	1
ב ב	ב בֵּית	ܒ ܒܝܬܐ	ܒ ܒܝܬܐ	ܒ	2	2
ג ג	ג גִּמְלָ	ܓ ܓܝܡܠܐ	ܓ ܓܝܡܠܐ	ܓ	3	3
ד ד	ד דָּלֶת	ܕ ܕܠܬܐ	ܕ ܕܠܬܐ	ܕ	4	4
ה ה	ה הָא	ܗ ܗܐܐ	ܗ ܗܐܐ	ܗ	5	5
ו ו	ו וָו	ܘ ܘܘܐܘܐ	ܘ ܘܘܐܘܐ	ܘ	6	6
ז ז	ז זָיִן	ܙ ܙܝܢܐ	ܙ ܙܝܢܐ	ܙ	7	7
ח ח	ח חֵית	ܚ ܚܝܬܐ	ܚ ܚܝܬܐ	ܚ	8	8
ט ט	ט טִית	ܛ ܛܝܬܐ	ܛ ܛܝܬܐ	ܛ	9	9
י י	י יוֹד	ܝ ܝܘܕܐ	ܝ ܝܘܕܐ	ܝ	10	10
כ כ	כ כָּף	ܟ ܟܦܐ	ܟ ܟܦܐ	ܟ	20	11
ל ל	ל לָמֶד	ܠ ܠܡܕܐ	ܠ ܠܡܕܐ	ܠ	30	12
מ מ	מ מֶם	ܡ ܡܡܐ	ܡ ܡܡܐ	ܡ	40	13
נ נ	נ נוֹן	ܢ ܢܘܢܐ	ܢ ܢܘܢܐ	ܢ	50	14
ס ס	ס סָמֶךְ	ܣ ܣܡܚܐ	ܣ ܣܡܚܐ	ܣ	60	15
ע ע	ע עֵיִן	ܥ ܥܝܢܐ	ܥ ܥܝܢܐ	ܥ	70	16
פ פ	פ פָּא	ܦ ܦܐܐ	ܦ ܦܐܐ	ܦ	80	17
צ צ	צ צָדִי	ܥ ܥܕܝܐ	ܥ ܥܕܝܐ	ܥ	90	18
ק ק	ק קוֹף	ܩ ܩܘܦܐ	ܩ ܩܘܦܐ	ܩ	100	19
ר ר	ר רִישׁ	ܪ ܪܝܫܐ	ܪ ܪܝܫܐ	ܪ	200	20
ש ש	ש שֵׁן	ܫ ܫܝܢܐ	ܫ ܫܝܢܐ	ܫ	300	21
ת ת	ת תּוֹ	ܬ ܬܘܐ	ܬ ܬܘܐ	ܬ	400	22

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Dedication

I dedicate this work in memory of **His Holiness ✝ Mar Dinkha IV**, Catholicos-Patriarch of ***The Assyrian Church of the East***, Sunday, September 15, 1935 – Thursday, March 26, 2015, with love, respect, and appreciation.